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BIRTHS.

At Tientsin, on the 10th September, the wife of W. FISHER, of a daughter.

On the 28th September, at 11, Mohawk Road, Shanghai, the wife of Mr. FREDERICK W. BARR, Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, of a son. (None papers please copy.)

At Ningpo, on the 23rd September, the wife of the Rev. J. W. HEYWOOD, (Wenchen); of a son.

At 5, Yang-king, Shanghai, on the 24th September, the wife of JOHN BARR, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

At Shanghai, on the 25th September, MAY, the new-born infant daughter of Charles and Dorothy Dowdall.

At the Shanghai General Hospital, Shanghai, on the 25th of September, CHARLES MCILROY, late Chief Engineer C.M.S.N., Co.'s steamer *Ronagh*, aged 51 years.

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HONGKONG, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1894.

TELEGRAMS.

ANOTHER FREAK.

LONDON, October 1st.
Japan has declared lead a contraband of war.

ANTI-FOREIGN FEELING IN PEKING.

Some British subjects have been assaulted in Peking.

CHINESE AFFAIRS.

Prince Kung has been appointed President of the Tsung-li Yamen, and co-director of war operations with Li Hung-chang.

THE "PATHAN" RELEASED.

The British steamer *Pathan* has been released, on the Captain engaging to proceed direct to Shanghai.

WAR CLOUDS.

The French Press is discussing the contingency of a war between Great Britain and France over African difficulties.

(From *Hongkong Papers*.)

M. DE LANESSAN.

PARIS, September 18th.
Monsieur de Lanessan will leave for Saigon on September 30th.

THE BATTLE OF PING-YANG.

In the battle at Ping-yang between the Chinese and Japanese the total loss of the former is now stated to have been 17,000 men, of which number 14,000 were made prisoners, including five generals and nearly the whole of the Chinese military staff.

The Havas Telegraphic Agency in Paris possesses a correspondent in the Far East who is either a most vivid imagination or is a willing to the inspired official utterances of the Japanese Government's News Bureau.—Ed., *Hongkong Telegraph*.

THE FRENCH ARMY.

September 20th.

The extensive manœuvres which the French Army has lately been engaged in at Beaufort have terminated.

M. Casimir Perier, President of the Republic, took part in the final review of the troops, and in the course of an address, thanking the Generals and the Army for the progress accomplished, expressed the hope that the Nation and Army would always be united.

THE FRENCH NAVY.

September 22nd.

Admiral Humann has been appointed chief of the staff of the French Admiralty.

AN EDITOR IN TROUBLE.

M. Goulli, editor of the *Petite Republique*, has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment and a fine of one thousand francs for libelling the President of the Republic.

FRENCH POLITICS.

September 24th.

Monsieur Rachimont, a Radical, has been elected for Nogent in place of M. Casimir Perier.

Public opinion is in favour of the proposed expedition to Madagascar.

THE CHINA-JAPAN WAR.

The Japanese threaten to bombard New-chwang. A steamer (the British gunboat *Pigmy*, is probably meant)—Ed. *Telegraph* has been sent there for the protection of foreign residents.

KHARTOUM.

The truth of the report that Great Britain and Italy have decided to send a joint expedition to Khartoum, although officially denied, is still persisted in.

THE PENANG LIBEL CASE.

IMPRISONMENT OF MR. BERGER.
(By special telegram to the *Singapore Free Press*.)

PENANG, 11.21 a.m., Sept. 22nd.
Mr. Berger, proprietor of the *Strait Independent*, has been sent to gaol for one year in default of payment of the fine (damages \$100) and costs in the recent libel action, brought against him by Lim Leng Cheak.

[Judgment was delivered on the 20th inst., and under section 3, sub-section 7, of the *Defences Ordinance No. XXII of 1870*. Mr. Berger was liable in "default in payment of any debt due upon a judgment recovered in an action for... defamation" to a term of imprisonment not exceeding one year, or until payment of the sum due.]

LATE TELEGRAMS.

CAIRO, September 14th.
The court-martial on Chawabi Pasha, two other Pashas and six slave dealers is concluded. The Court acquitted the two Pashas of dealing in slaves, notwithstanding the conclusive evidence brought forward in support of the charge. The other Pashas were sentenced to terms of imprisonment ranging from six to eighteen months. Brigadier-General Kitchener, the Sirdar of the Egyptian Army, refused to confirm the acquittals.

LONDON, September 14th.
It is stated that a Syndicate has bought Port Delago Bay from the Portuguese Government on behalf of the Transvaal. The Bay is available for vessels of large tonnage and the Olifant or Krokodil river flowing into it is navigable for steam launches for a considerable distance. The Transvaal border begins fifty two miles inland, consequently Delago Bay will give the independent Dutch State a commanding position in South Africa, baffling the plans of Mr. Cecil Rhodes, the Premier of the Cape and the Chairman of the British South Africa Company.

The Russian Squadron which had been ordered to Korean waters, under command of Admiral Tyroff, is composed of twelve vessels of all descriptions.

ANOTHER TYPHOON!

We are indebted to the courtesy of Señor Don Enrique Ortiz, Spanish Consul at this port, for the following telegraphic information, received from the Government of Manila:—

MANILA, October 2nd, 7.35 a.m.
There appears to be another depression to the E.S.E. of Manila.

At 3.00 p.m. At 1.45 p.m. the typhoon appeared to have struck the island of Luzon to the east of the 11th degree of latitude, and is travelling from south-east to north-west, but we are not sure of its course.

In its meteorological forecast the Acting Director of the Observatory states:—

"On the 2nd inst. at 10.30 a.m. there were some indications of another depression to the

east of Luzon. At 11.10 a.m. the barometer was falling in Hongkong."

The Observatory reports:—At 4.45 p.m. to-day the typhoon appears to be approaching the coast of Luzon to the east of Bolinao.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Koko clinkers arrived at Shanghai on the 28th ult., by the *Melbourne*, all well.

Messrs. A. MILLAR & Co., plumbers, filed their petition in Bankruptcy at the Supreme Court yesterday.

CAPTAIN A. NIELSEN, late of the revenue cruiser *Pathan*, has been appointed Port Captain at Wel-hai-wei.

LIRKIN O'BRIEN, of the U.S. army, has been appointed military attaché to the U.S. Legation at Tokyo.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY Co.'s steamer *Empress of China* arrived at Yokohama at 8.30 a.m. to-day, and left again at 3 p.m. for this port, via Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai.

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THE *P. & O. S. N. Co.*'s steamship *Resetta*, with the next English mail, left Singapore for this port at 3 p.m. yesterday, and is expected here on Sunday, at 6 a.m.

It is affirmed by the survivors of the Chinese warship *Chi-ku-chen*, that the Japanese ironclad rammed and sank by that vessel in the recent naval engagement was the *Yoshio*.

MR. LEES, chief engineer of the steamship *Amber*, who was severely scalded by the bursting of the vessel's donkey boiler, died in the hospital at Malacca on the 23rd ult.

A FRESH instance illustrating the contagious character of leprosy has, it is said, been furnished by Miss Mary Reed, of Cincinnati, who has contracted the disease after working as a nurse among the lepers in India for several years.

OUR Shanghai morning contemporary asserts that on the 26th ult., the Chinese officials at Shanghai received news that the Japanese had attacked the Chinese at Anchow (Anjui) and Yichow (Wu-kuo) simultaneously, and were repelled at both places.

The *Harbour Master* at Shanghai held an examination on the 27th ult., for pilots for the lower Yangtze. Out of five candidates who presented themselves for examination three only were successful, namely, Messrs. Campbell, Lundholm, and Howard, were successful.

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Board with regard to overcrowding were not carried out?"

"I do not know."

Mr. J. J. Kewick—There is no doubt, I suppose, that the Sanitary Board's own inspectors report from time to time and probably frequently?

"I don't know how the Sanitary Board works under Government at present. I know in the old days I was President for one year and reports went up to the Government in those days on what could be done, what could not be done, and the reasons why they could not be done, and all given. I know continuous reports went up in my time, but I was President only for one year and then they made the Director of Public Works President."

"I suppose in the present time in the archives of the Sanitary Board there must be a great many reports from inspectors?"

"A—Yes, a great many."

"Q—And you would suppose that there were some of recent date?"

"A—Many reports of recent date, they have to make continual reports—weekly reports."

"Q—Don't you think it would be the duty of the Secretary or some one in the Sanitary Board to submit those reports to the Government?"

"A—I certainly think so, and I know under Mr. McCallum these things did go to the Government in letters; but since then things have been very much higgledy-pledged, and the people in charge did not know anything about the working of the Board or anything else, and even the President has been all sizes and sevens, first one and then another. I don't know how it has been going on."

Mr. J. J. Kewick—Are the Sanitary Board's Inspector numerous enough, do you think?

"A—Not by a long way."

"Q—That is the fault of the Board, I presume?"

"A—I don't know that the Board has appealed; but it is like everything else, dollars are not forthcoming."

"Q—If they had reports it would matter?"

"A—I could easily as to the reports. It was first suggested that there should be a Superintendent of the Board and a Secretary, the duty of the Superintendent being to go round the town and inspect, and the Secretary was simply to do the in-door work. The Superintendent and Secretary are now one person running the office, and the Inspector do the outside work. There ought to be a medical health officer who should be Superintendent, and there ought to be another qualified man for Secretary, and the staff ought to be more than doubled, to do anything like the work that is required."

"Q—Has the Sanitary Board done any practical work during the last half dozen years—since it was formed?"

"A—I should say very little."

MR. CROOK'S EVIDENCE.

Mr. Jackson—They have not used the machinery of the law to prevent it?

"A—There are a number of cockfights that do not comply with the Ordinance and there are a great number of them."

The Chairman—Why not remove those that do not?

"A—They ought to be removed."

"Q—That is not the fault of the law?"

"A—No."

Mr. Jackson—The next question is, why has not the law been carried out? Is there any particular reason why it has not been carried out?

"A—Only I suppose that it would entail a regular examination and inspection right through. There is no reason why it should not be carried out and there is no reason, as far as I know, except the want of officers to do it."

"Q—The want of duty is it to see that the law is carried out?"

"A—I should think the Sanitary Board."

Mr. J. J. Kewick—Do you consider that the Sanitary Board fulfils any really useful function in Hongkong?

"A—I mean does it carry out—"

Mr. Jackson—I think that is scarcely a fair question.

Mr. J. J. Kewick—I wanted to know whether, as far as you have observed, the Sanitary Board are in a position really to do good.

Mr. Jackson—It is a good machine for the work it has to do?

"A—I think the function of the Sanitary Board is to deal with private owners of property and for that I think they are very well suited and can do their work better than any one else probably. They come individually into contact with owners probably more than others do, and I think they are able to carry out the work better."

THE WAR IN THE NORTH.

CHINESE OFFICIAL REPORTS.

SHANGHAI, September 27th.

We have received the following telegrams from our Chefoo correspondent, who obtained them from a native official source:—

On September 16th, a naval engagement took place between the Chinese and Japanese fleet near Ta-ung-kiong, which lasted from 11 a.m.

11.30 p.m. The cruiser *Chiyuan* and three others were sunk; the *Chiyuan* and *Yungkun* were burnt; the *Chiyuan* and *Yungkun* burnt. Admiral Ting is slightly wounded.

(Sd.) KUNO.

On September 16th, a battle took place between the Chinese and Japanese fleets near Ta-ung-kiong. The fight lasted five hours. The *Chiyuan* was sunk, the *Yungkun* burnt, and the *Chiyuan* and *Yungkun* (the two looking perfectly alike) one was burnt and the other ran on shore; the *Yungkun*, *Chenyun*, *Chiyuan*, *Luoyun*, *Pingyun*, *Kuangping*, *Kuangche*, *Chenching*, *Chennan*, also two torpedo boats, have returned to Port Arthur. The other two torpedo boats are missing.

Only ten vessels took part in the engagement, because the *Yungkun*, *Kuangping*, *Chenching*, *Chennan*, and the four torpedo boats, were still in the river, and when they came out, all was over. As far as we could see and have seen three Japanese ships were sunk; the *Chiyuan* had a great number of quick-firing guns and used them very rapidly. We soon discovered ourselves surrounded by the enemy's vessels and thus were attacked on all sides. The extent of damage done to our ships is not yet ascertained.

(Sd.) TING.

A junk just returned from Port Arthur states that not three but five Japanese vessels were destroyed in the last battle. After the Chinese fleet had left, two more Japanese vessels made for the beach to prevent sinking; but this is very doubtful.

It will be seen by the above that Kung Taotai did not report the loss of any Japanese vessels.

In Admiral Ting's telegram we hear for the first time of four war-vessels and four torpedo boats being up-river and not coming out until the fight was over.

A telegram was received here from Chefoo last evening, (27th) from Port Arthur, stating that Captain Tang, of the *Chiyuan*, who had run away with his ship from the naval engagement outside of the Yalu, had been executed for his cowardice. It further states that the *Chiyuan* stood on a reef near Taiwan, while escaping from the battle, and was afterwards blown up by the Japanese. This makes the total loss of the Chinese five vessels, including one scuttled by the *Chiyuan* accidentally during the fight—*Morocco*.

Shanghai, September 29th.

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

(COMPILED FROM MANY SOURCES)

THE Queen of Autumn.—The Hawaiian Lily. A cow-dry dog is always showing his teeth. Don't let people make you believe that you are smart.

If you would discover poverty, try to borrow money.

Where there's a will there's Hawaii, but who'll draw the will?

Few wool will make mutton of the sheep of American farmers.

Debt is the only thing known that enlarges the more it is contracted.

Birds of a feather would better flock out of reach of the bonnet-maker.

Few people take so much interest in their business as the pawnbrokers.

Those big chrysanthemums go a long way toward blushing a well-worn coat.

The ladies' tailor has a hard lot. He has to reform so many of his customers.

All the other statesmen and women out of jobs are envying Queen Lillian-tail.

"I have seen better days," said the blind man.

"So I hear," remarked the deaf man.

The professional politician never lives long enough to witness his declining years.

Men appear to be having a great deal of difficulty in raising the D.P.R. in Brazil.

Every husband has a mind of his own, but it is sometimes lodged in the head of his wife.

There is always plenty of room at the top, but that is because the stairs are so hard to climb.

As a woman of the world, very delicately puts it, "Lillian-tail has been a good deal talked about."

When a man gets so that he opens grapes with a nut-cracker at the dinner-table it is time he changed his tonic.

"Tell you, it's a great thing to be a democrat, nowadays." "I'd like to know why." "So exclusive, you know."

Love is that sort of thing which makes a man's bank account of \$200 seem abundantly large to go to housekeeping on.

Some kinds of philanthropists says Buck will never be satisfied until every bald-headed man has a pair of curling tongs.

Maude—Do you believe that marriage is made in heaven? Marie—I don't know. But I don't intend to wait and see.

George—You would marry the biggest fool in the world, if he asked you, wouldn't you? Ethel—Oh, George, this is so sudden!

When a man is self-made he is generally the first to find it out; but when he makes a fool of himself he is the last one aware of it.

An Oregon paper says that in consequence of the hard times "many dogs are being killed this year which were never killed before."

If those who are searching after a "sure cure for deafness" would quit drinking while they are looking for it, they would find it.

Don Tanquer—Well, here glasses! If we go to the football match won't we? Old Soak—Oh, I guess not. I don't mind drinking out of a bottle.

"But if I should lose all my fortune would you feel just the same toward me?" She—"I don't see how I could think any less of you than I do."

It was the old bachelor who said that he never read the woman's corner in his paper, although he was something of a woman scunner himself.

Muggins—Jones returned the umbrella he borrowed of me. Buggins—Just like Jones. He apes eccentricity just to make himself conspicuous.

No marriage engagement should be more than six months long; the most ardent lover gets tired of living up to his girl's ideal any longer than that.

Mr. Litewaitte (having been rejected)—The only thing left for me to do is drown myself in the flowing bowl. Miss Pert—You couldn't do that.

"Where is Mrs. Sham?" "She has gone to the symphony rehearsal." "Has her husband gone with her?" "No; he is in the woodshed at a Chopin's rehearsal."

Police Magistrate—Have you ever seen the prisoner at the bar? Witness—Never, your Honor; but I've seen him when I strongly suspected he'd been at it.

Mrs. S. to Applicant—Are you a good cook?

The Applicant—Well, ma'am, it's thirty years come Christmas I've bin a faithful member of the church; shure I onther be good.

An inventive genius in the interest of the liquor trade has devised a solution of bichloride of silver to restore the "thirst" of those who lost their by tackling bichloride of gold.

The Sage—In choosing a wife, young man, you must not look for beauty alone. The Youth—Of course not. It is the other kind of a girl that one may expect to find alone.

Cholly (as he is about to leave, after his rejection)—Come, Miss Summer, help me on with my overcoat. Since you cannot be my wife, you may at least be asister to me.

City Missionary—My good woman, did you ever give a cup of cold water to any one?

Mrs. Rafferty—Sure a' on' hev. Only twisty of them a whole bucketful on me husband's head, WISE MEN.

It matters not what "I" used it.

Now what it "s" good for?

The way to boom up business is freely advertise.

Teacher—Who was the first murderer? Son of a Distinguished Lawyer—No body knows. In that case Abel's sin had no lawyer to defend him, so the thing went by default, and he was convicted.

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Young Bride (nouting)—Here we have only been married two days. Clarence, and you're scolding me already. Husband—I know, my dear; but just think how long I have been waiting for the chance.

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The Share Market.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

BANKS.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank—92 per cent.,
present, sellers.
The National Bank of China, Ltd.—on £8,000,
paid up, £24, sellers.
The National Bank of China, Ltd.—Founders'
4415, nominal.
The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—
nominal.
The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—
Founders' shares—£5, buyers.
CHINESE LOANS.
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 £11 per cent.
pension.
MARINE INSURANCES.
Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$140 per
share, sales and sellers.
China Traders' Insurance Company—\$61 per
share, sellers.
North China Insurance—Tls. 175 per share,
buyers.
Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$147 per
share, sales and buyers.
Yantze Insurance Association—\$75, buyers.
Oriental Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 15
per share.
The Straits Insurance Co., Ltd.—\$17 per share,
sellers.

Fire INSURANCES.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$180 per
share, sellers.
China Fire Insurance Company—\$77 per share,
buyers.
The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.—\$20 per
share, sellers.
SHIPPING.
Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.—
\$25 per share, buyers.
China and Manila Steam Ship Company—\$65,
buyers.
Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—
\$42, sellers.
Douglas Steamship Company—\$47, sellers.
China Mutual Shippers Co., Ltd. (Preference)—
\$6 per share, nominal.
China Mutual Shippers Co., Ltd. (Ordinary)—
\$1 per share, nominal.
REFINERIES.
China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$156
per share, sellers.
Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$48,
buyers.

Mining.

Funim Mining Co.—(Ordinary)—\$6 per share,
sellers.
Funim Mining Co.—(Preference)—\$160 per
share, sellers.
The Ruth Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$54 per
share, sales and buyers.
The New Belmont Gold Mining Co., Limited—
\$2 per share, buyers.
Sociedad Francesa des Charbonnages du Tonkin—
\$45 per share, sellers.
The Ile de Widoy and Trading Co., Limited—
\$55, sales and sellers.
DOCKS, WHARVES AND GODOWNS.
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—7%
per cent. premium, buyers.
Geo. Harwick & Co., Limited—\$20 per share,
buyers.
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown
Company—\$17 per share, buyers.
Wanchai Warehouse Co., Ltd.—\$40 per share,
sellers.

HOTELS.

Hongkong Hotel Company—\$10 per share,
buyers.
Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per cent. Debentures
6%.

The Shamian Hotel Co., Limited—nominal.

LANDS AND BUILDING.

The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited—
\$10 per share, sellers.

The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited—
\$11, sales and sellers.

The West Point Buildings Co., Limited—\$20
per share, sellers.

Humphreys' Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.—\$14
per share, sellers.

DISPENSARIES.

A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$10 buyers.

Dakin, Crabb & Co., Limited—\$14 per
share, buyers.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited—\$6 per
share, sellers.

H. C. Brown & Co., Limited—\$4 per share, buyers.

Hongkong Toy Manufacturing Company,
Ihalte—\$10 per share, buyers.

Hongkong Gas Company—\$125 per share, buyers.

Hongkong Ice Company—\$78 per share, sellers.

Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—
\$40 per share, sellers.

The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited—
\$4 per share, buyers.

The Green Island Cement Co.—\$54, buyers.

The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited—
\$4.50, sal.

The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co.,
Limited—\$70, buyers.

Campbell, Moore & Co., Ltd.—\$2 per share.

EXCHANGE.

On LONDON—Bank, T. T. 2/1

Bank Bills, on demand 2/2

Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/2

Credits at 4 months' sight 2/2

Documentary Bills, at 4 months'
sight 2/2

On PARIS—

Bank Bills, on demand 2.73

Credits, at 4 months' sight 2.79

On INDIA—

T. T. 1961

On Demand 197

On SHANGHAI—

Bank, T. T. 742

Private, 30 days' sight 754

Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)—80

Silver (per oz.) 298

VISITORS AND RESIDENTS AT
THE PEARL HOTEL.

Mr. J. A. E. Chudet. Mr. Medhurst.

Miss Cox. Capt. and Mrs. Moore.

Mr. H. L. Cromble. Mr. F. Morony.

Mr. H. L. Dalymple. Mr. C. Nielsen.

Mr. R. P. Dingle. Mr. Sanderson.

Mr. J. P. Dowling. Mr. F. H. Shaghek.

Mr. W. S. Harrison. Smith and family.

Mr. Geo. Holmes. Capt. & Mrs. Stokham.

Mr. J. E. Macrae. Mr. A. G. Stokes.

Mr. Morton Jones. Mrs. H. Wilson.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Rosalia*,
with the outward English mail, left Singapore
on the 1st instant, and may be expected here on
the 7th.

THE FRENCH MAIL.

The Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer
Saghalien, with the outward French mail, left
Saigon on the 9th ultimo, and may be expected here
to-morrow.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Relate*, with
mails, &c., from San Francisco on the 8th
instant, left Nagasaki on the 9th ultimo, at
5 p.m., and may be expected here on the 4th
instant.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Peru*, with
mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, *via*
Yokohama, and Nagasaki on the 16th ultimo.

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Oceanic*, with
mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port *via*
Honolulu, Yokohama, and Nagasaki, on the 25th
ultimo.

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer
Empress of China left Vancouver on the 18th
ultimo for Yokohama, Shanghai and Hongkong.

NORTHERN P. C. P. C. MAIL.

The Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer
Sikh left Tacoma on the 16th ultimo *via*
Japan ports.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The D. D. R. steamer *Niobe* left Singapore
on the 28th ultimo, and may be expected here
on the 4th instant.

The Austrian Lloyd's S. N. Co.'s steamer
Vindobona left Kobe on the 29th ultimo, and
may be expected here on the 4th instant.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Manila* left
Bombay on the 28th ultimo, and may be expected
here on the 16th instant.

Shipping.

ARRIVALS.

FRAMNES, Norwegian ship, 958, E. Wettergreen,
2nd October, Bangkok 21st Sept., Rice—
Yuen Fat Hong.

NATAL, French steam r. 1,084 Le Gall, and
October,—Shanghai 29th September, Mails and
General—Messageries Maritimes.

PALAMED, British steamer, 1,481 Williams, and
October,—Singapore 25th Sept., General—
Butterfield & Swire.

FORMOSA, British steamer, 674, A. E. Hodges,
2nd October,—Tamsui 28th Sept., Amoy and
Swatow 1st Oct., Camphor and
General—D. Laprak & Co.

KWEIWANG, British steamer, 1,200, L. Dawson,
2nd October,—Tic-tac 18th September, Newchwang
25th Sept., and Chefoo 27th, General—
Butterfield & Son.

AMY TURNER, American bark, 953, Warren, and
Oobie, Honolulu 24th August, Kerossend
Oil—Order.

GLENAVON, British steamer, 1,912, Nonman, and
Oct. 1,—Lands 18th August, and Singapore
25th Sept., General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

MONKTON, British steamer, 859, C. Stomach,
2nd October,—Bangkok 22nd Sept., Rice and
General—Yuen Fat Hong.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.

Canfa, British steamer, for Singapore, &c.

Pronto, G. man steamer, for Manila.

Tacof, D. D. R. steamer, for Chefoo and
Newchwang.

Gluckberg, German steamer, for Shanghai.

DEPARTURES.

October 2, Lohkang, British str., for Canton.

October 2, Ly-ee-moon, C. man str., for Canton.

October 2, Taiyick, G. man str., for Chefoo, &c.

October 2, Acto, D. D. R. steamer, for Hoochow
and Pashai.

October 2, Thales, British str., for Swatow, &c.

October 2, Tolas, British steamer, for Samarrang.

October 2, Pronto, German steamer, for Manila.

October 2, Canfa, British steamer, for Singapore
and London.

AGENTS—ARRIVED.

Per Natal, from Shanghai for Hongkong.—

Mrs. S. Burke, Mrs. Burke and 2 infants, Messrs.

E. de Windt, Chasseur, Appéle, Le Baron,

Nosier, and R. S. Forsting, From Yokohama.

Mr. W. W. de Groot and Swill, From Kobe.

From Shanghai, for Singapore.

Mr. and Mrs. Wong Foo Yuen and a servant,

For Macao.

For Marselle,—Mr. and Mrs. Lepusier and 2

infants, Messrs. Matthy, C. J. E. Simon, N. D.

Savioff, R. Hales, E. S. Gredall, and N. M. Col-

chonoff and servant, From Yokohama for Singapore.

For Marselle,—Mr. and Mrs. Nebelung.

For Macao, Mrs. Matthy, C. J. E. Simon, N. D.

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